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1. FOLLOWING DRAFT TEXT OF US PROTOCOL ARTICLE VII PARA 4 DELIVERED TO SOVIET SIDE (KONASHKOV) BY US SIDE (HECKROTTE) AT MFA FEBRUARY 18 PM:

BEGIN TEXT.

4. NOT LATER THAN 30 DAYS PRIOR TO THE BEGINNING OF EMPLACEMENT OF THE EXPLOSIVES IN CONNECTION WITH WHICH THE FOLLOWING IS TO BE USED, TWO COMPLETE SETS OF ELECTRICAL EOUIPMENT FOR YIELD DETERMINATION AS DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPH 1 OF ARTICLE XI AND SPARE PARTS, AND TWO COMPLETE SETS OF SEISMIC EQUIPMENT CONSTITUTING THE LOCAL SEISMIC NETWORK AND SPARE PARTS, WHICH SETS OF EQUIPMENT SHALL HAVE THE SAME TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS AS THE CORRESPONDING EQUIP-MENT SPECIFIED IN PARAGRAPH 3 OF THIS ARTICLE, AND SPECIFIC INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE EMPLACEMENT OF THE SENSING ELEMENT BASED ON INFORMATION PROVIDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH PARAGRAPH 2(A) OF ARTICLE XI OF THIS PROTOCOL, SHALL BE DELIVERED TO THE SITE OF THE EXPLOSION. NOT LATER THAN 15 DAYS BEFORE THE BEGINNING OF THE EMPLACEMENT OF THE EXPLOSIVES DESIGNATED PERSONNEL SHALL DEMONSTRATE TO THE SECRET

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PARTY CARRYING OUT THE EXPLOSION THAT THIS EQUIPMENT IS IN

WORKING ORDER, AND THE PARTY CARRYING OUT THE EXPLOSION SHALL CHOOSE ONE OF THE TWO SETS OF EQUIPMENT DESCRIBED ABOVE TO BE USED BY DESIGNATED PERSONNEL. THIS CHOSEN SET SHALL REMAIN IN THE CUSTODY OF DESIGNATED PERSONNEL IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE X OF THIS PROTOCOL, OR IN MUTUALLY AGREED SECURE STORAGE. PERSONNEL OF THE PARTY CARRYING OUT THE EXPLOSION SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO OBSERVE THE USE OF THIS EQUIPMENT BY DESIGNATED PERSONNEL. EOUIPMENT NOT CHOSEN FOR USE IN CONNECTION WITH THE CON-DUCT OF THE EXPLOSION SHALL BE AT THE DISPOSAL OF THE PARTY CARRYING OUT THE EXPLOSION UNTIL 30 DAYS AFTER THE EXPLOSION AT WHICH TIME IT SHALL BE RETURNED TO THE OTHER PARTY. AFTER THE EXPLOSION AND AFTER A DUPLICATE OF RECORDED DATA HAS BEEN ACQUIRED FROM THE EQUIPMENT BY BOTH PARTIES, THE EQUIPMENT USED BY DESIGNATED PERSONNEL SHALL BE REMOVED BY DESIGNATED PERSONNEL.

END TEXT. STOESSEL

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